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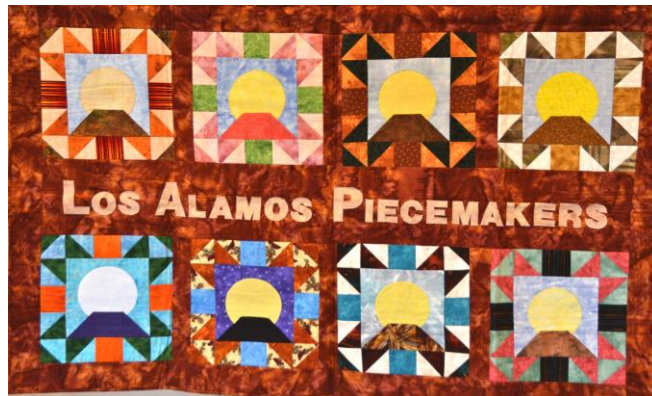
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January 2014 Guild Meeting
Tuesday, January 28th at 7 pm
White Rock Baptist Church

“Reverse Machine Applique”

Los Alamos Piecemakers Guild member, Phyllis Holland, will present a short program on her technique for reverse applique. Many members commented on her wall hanging at our 2013 quilt show. Through fabric choices and design, Phyllis is able to project a playful flow of movement that draws the attention of any quilter. Phyllis has also agreed to teach a workshop in March. More details inside this newsletter.

We will also be announcing a new challenge at the guild meeting and make a small project. Please join us and bring a friend and your “Show and Tell” projects for our first guild meeting of 2014.



From the President:

HAPPY NEW YEAR! I hope you all had very satisfying holidays, and are looking forward to a new year full of possibilities! Maybe some of those possibilities have to do with quilting - learning a new skill, finishing a "resting" project, sharing your talents. We hope you will include the Los Alamos Piecemakers in your plans. See this newsletter for upcoming events. Deb McLin and Deb Claytor have agreed to share the Vice President job for 2014. Thank you, Deb & Deb! This leaves open opportunities for Librarian and Newsletter. Maybe this is your year!

Looking forward to sharing our love of quilting - may your 2014 be filled with color and inspiration!

Laura

CLUSTER NEWS

New Cluster is forming - "The Beginners" - Geared to those who would like to learn to quilt, people with not much experience quilting, or those that love basic quilts. Moms or sitters with small children at home are more than welcome to join. We will meet the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month in members' homes (the 1st Tuesday during the day, the 3rd Tuesday in the evening). IF you are interested please email Theresa Marquez - tmarquez28@gmail.com, Cluster will close at 6 (since there are children).

2014 QUILT MARKET

This is our year to hold a Quilt Market. We're looking for one or two quilters to chair - there are always plenty of helpers!

DONATION QUILT

We need to get started on our 2014 donation Quilt! Bring your ideas for this group project to the January meeting. Thanks!

COMMUNITY SERVICE - Lyn Haval

VALENTINE LUNCHEON WITH RSVP QUILTERS

It's time for our Valentine's luncheon with the RSVP quilters. It will be on Wednesday, Feb. 12 at the Senior Center. It's potluck--we bring lunch. There will be a sign-up at our meeting on Jan. 25. *If you miss the meeting and want to come, just call me to sign up, 695-0745.* We will start around 10:30, helping the RSVP quilters to put away their materials, and then eat by 11:00. We will have lunch AND show-and-tell between 11 and noon. We need to be out of the room by noon. We need soup, salad, bread and dessert. I will provide the paper goods and candy treats for the seniors.

MUG RUGS

We all need to start making mug rugs for next Christmas at Aspen Ridge!! We are starting a new Challenge for mug rugs--details will be announced at the Jan. meeting!! There WILL be prizes!!! Stay tuned!

BATTING

I have a roll of batting for Community Service quilts. If you need some, please e-mail me or call me with your quilt measurements and I will bring some to the meeting for you. If that's not possible or you need some between meetings, just call me and we can arrange a delivery or pick-up.

Also, if you know of anyone who needs a quilt, please let me know. I have several ready to give

TREASURER'S REPORT - Donna Smith

The balance for January 1, 2014: \$ 10,675.47. Detailed statements will be available at the meeting in January.

MEMBERSHIP - JoAnn Painter and Joan Williams

A reminder that 2014 membership is due. If you haven't renewed your membership complete the form that was emailed and bring it to the meeting. Additional forms will be available at the meeting.

